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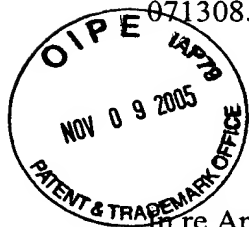
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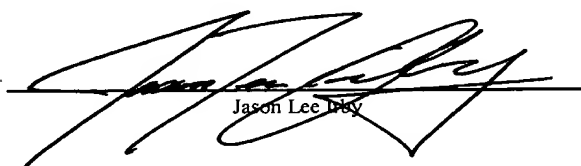
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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Final Office Action mailed September 9, 2005, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments set forth below and request favorable action thereon.

Amendment to Attorney Docket Number is on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.

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Applicants respectfully request correction of the Attorney Docket No. in the United States Patent Office records. Please replace with Attorney Docket No. ---**071308.0161**--.